

SECOND DAY
AT DENVER

Long Contests Before Credentials Committee

NOMINATIONS ON FRIDAY

By Hook or Crook Johnson and Gray Cannot Figure Out More Than 120 Delegates—To-day's Session Opened at 12 O'clock.

Denver, July 8.—What was probably as stormy an all-night session of the committee on credentials as was ever held by a Democratic convention left the permanent roll call still uncompleted this morning. The committee had been practically in continuous session since 5 o'clock yesterday. It expected to be ready to report to the convention this afternoon.

No severe were the strictures on some of the "bosses" that the committee, after hearing the evidence in a few cases in public, directed that all the others be heard behind closed doors. It was agreed this morning that the Dubois delegates would be continued on the roll, that the Sullivan delegates in Illinois would be seated; also the Tammany allies in King's county, New York; that the Gueffier men would either be dislodged in the Pennsylvania contests or the vote divided with the Bryan men; that the Johnson delegates would be seated in the District of Columbia. The committee is said to be badly divided, but it was expected that there would be a final agreement and no minority report. Throughout the night and morning three leaders, Col. James M. Guffey of Pennsylvania, Roger Sullivan of Illinois and Patrick McCarren of New York, fought hard for the perpetuation of their political power. As the night wore on the bitterness between factions in the lobby increased, and several times fist fights were prevented only by the interference of bystanders.

Senator McCarren, leader of the contestants, was given the first say when the New York contest came before the committee on credentials. He denounced the district leaders who had deserted and aided Tammany in his overthrow, as "political thieves who would stop at nothing to attain their own ends."

"When we held our primaries last March, we carried nearly every district in King's county, and we carried them fairly and by a vote of nearly five to one. But after we had held our district conventions and elected our delegates, these crooks put up a fake contest at the state convention. They wanted our seats and they got them. We don't appeal to this committee; we demand."

George B. Williams, chairman of the anti-McCarren organization of King's county, created a sensation when he replied: "If this man McCarren tells you he will support Bryan when he goes home from this convention, he lies. Through the columns of his chosen organ in Brooklyn he has announced that he will not tolerate Bryan or Bryanism. This Judas betrayed the Democratic ticket at the last election in New York state and defeated the Democratic candidate for governor, Mr. Hearst."

Speculation Held Up. All speculation about the vice-presidency was practically suspended awaiting the outcome of the fight against Guffey in Pennsylvania. If Guffey is defeated, the opinion was expressed that the effort to secure the nomination of a conservative Eastern Democrat might as well be abandoned. There is no possible hope that Gray or Johnson will accept the nomination. Ollie James and Charlie Towne are still in the front rank of candidates.

George Fred Williams presented a plank to the committee on resolutions to-day calling for the appointment of a commission to inquire into the condition of the mills of New England with a view to deciding whether labor is receiving a fair share of the profits. The plank also calls for a revision of the tariff schedule on textiles on the ground that the present rates are unnecessarily high and that the cost of the necessities of life has increased out of all proportion to the increase in wages. It was prepared by Humphrey O'Sullivan of Lawrence, Mass. The resolution was endorsed by every member of the Massachusetts delegation and by the delegates of other New England states in whose districts there are cotton mills.

To-day's Program. The second day's session was called together at noon. There were prospects of a bitter fight on the floor over the report of the committee on credentials. Permanent Chairman Clayton may not be installed until late in the afternoon or to-morrow. Bryan's nomination, absolutely assured, will be made to-morrow or Friday. The most careful estimates call for 120 votes. The weather conditions continue ideal.

Contrary to all precedent, the committee on resolutions will spend the nights and days in the construction of the platform. After adjournment at the night meeting the full committee and sub-committee were in session until two this morning. After a short sleep the sub-committee resumed labors this morning, and will be at it until 5 p. m., when they expect to report to the full committee, which will proceed with the preparation of a final draft of the platform. They figure on reporting to the convention at 10 a. m. Thursday.

POWERS TO LEAVE CONGRESS.

Maine Member Goes Out at End of Term.

Houlton, Me., July 8.—Congressman Jewell Powers yesterday tendered his resignation as a candidate for reelection to Congress. It was given in a letter to Dr. Robinson of Bangor, chairman of the Republican district committee. Congressman Powers will complete his present term, which expires in March. The reason given for the resignation to serve further is the ill health of the congressman the past few months.

Mr. Powers wrote Dr. A. Robinson the following letter:

Houlton, Me., July 6. To the Republican district committee of the fourth congressional district of Maine:

I hereby withdraw in writing as a Republican candidate for the sixty-first Congress of the United States from the fourth congressional district of Maine, to be voted for at the next September election in this state, for which office I was duly nominated at the last district convention of the Republican voters of this congressional district. In doing this, I desire to express to you my sincere and hearty appreciation of the loyal support and confidence which have been given me in the past by the people of this district.

When I accepted the nomination I expected to fulfill the duties of the office, but my health will not permit me to extend my efforts beyond the limits of the term I am now serving. Very sincerely yours,

(Signed) Jewell Powers.

A special district convention will be held to nominate a candidate to succeed Congressman Powers on the ticket. Candidates for the nomination already announced include Dr. D. A. Robinson and Colonel L. K. Stetson of Bangor, and Frank Guernsey of Foxcroft, and it is understood that there will be a number of others, among them being Colonel F. H. Parkhurst and F. Marion Simon of Bangor, George A. Murchie and George H. Eaton of Calais, and Frederick Powers of Houlton.

WILL USE NEWSPAPERS.

Republican State Committee Prefers Them to Circulars and Letters.

Burlington, July 8.—F. C. Williams of Newport, chairman of the Republican state committee, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Williams said that headquarters would be opened at Newport about August 1 and the campaign waged from that date until the September election. "We are planning to do a lot of advertising," said Mr. Williams, "believing that this method of publicity is far superior to sending circulars and letters broadcast among the voters, as has been the custom in previous campaigns."

"If possible, we will have Secretary Taft in Vermont for at least two speeches, and perhaps four, but there is no assurance of this yet. And we expect to draft other speakers of national prominence," said Mr. Williams.

"While the headquarters of the committee will be in Newport, meetings of the committee will be held occasionally in Burlington, Rutland and Montpelier."

500 FARM HANDS WANTED.

Vermont Needs That Many; All New England Is Busy.

Washington, D. C., July 8.—Vermont farmers need 500 farm hands at once. T. V. Power, chief of the bureau of information of the department of commerce and labor, has just received the applications. The department has already furnished 227 in this state.

A general demand for laborers comes from New England where farm hands and mill operatives are wanted. Reports being received daily by the department indicate an activity in the labor market in the New England section.

The applications for help are being received on the postal cards recently sent out by Secretary Straus through the co-operation of Postmaster-General Meyer. About 1,250,000 were distributed by rural free delivery to every section of the country.

AMERICANS AT BRIGHTON.

U. S. Athletes Will Do Their Training For Olympic Games at Seaside Resort.

London, July 8.—The American athletes, who are to take part in the Olympic games have put in the last two days at the Stadium in practicing and getting accustomed to the track and grounds. The performances of the men have been quite in keeping with the hopes of their friends but on account of the depressing weather and the crowded condition of the grounds, the Americans have decided to go to Brighton and stay there until the games begin. Consequently the entire team started for the seaside yesterday afternoon.

Voted Him a "Jolly Good Fellow."

At the regular meeting of the Granite City Lodge, I. O. O. F., M. U., held in the K. of C. hall Monday evening the following officers were installed, deputy grandmaster Forbes; P. N. G. Hannah Smith; N. G. M. Johnson; V. G. Nellie Bianchi; P. S. Georgianna Forbes; treasurer, Katherine Vaul; chaplain, Ellen Morton; elective secretary, Emil G. McLean; R. S. to N. G., Sara Lake; G. S. to N. G., Mrs. Jones; R. S. to V. G., Mrs. Miller; G. S. to V. G., Mrs. Crowley; warden, Mrs. Davidson; I. G., Mrs. Reid.

After the meeting the ladies, to the number of 26, were invited by Dr. J. W. Jackson, to the ice cream parlors of E. M. Laws, where they were treated to ice cream, soda, wafers and chocolates. After which all the ladies declared Dr. J. W. Jackson, "a jolly good fellow."

A MINISTER
TAKES PLACE

At Head of Vermont Academy, Saxtons River

REV. GEORGE W. LAWSON

Pastor of Brattleboro Baptist Church Elected to John L. Alger's Position and He Will Accept the Election.

Brattleboro, July 8.—Rev. George W. Lawson, pastor of the Baptist church here for the past six years, has been elected by the trustees of Vermont academy to succeed John L. Alger as principal of that institution. Mr. Lawson will accept. He is well and favorably known and has been chaplain of the First Vermont regiment, V. N. G., for the past six or eight years. Mr. Alger goes to the Rhode Island state normal school.

FIGHTING DIVORCE HARD.

Sixty Witnesses in Addison County Case of Walston vs. Walston.

Middlebury, July 8.—About 60 witnesses from Monkton, Grand Isle, Hinesburg and other towns were summoned here yesterday to testify in the divorce case of Luric C. Walston vs. George F. Walston. The Walstons are a young married couple and spent their brief married life in Monkton until last November, when Mrs. Walston left home and went to Rutland. It seems that the young woman had made up her mind that her husband was a little too severe. The man is contesting the case stoutly and sets up the claim that his wife was unduly intimate with young men who were employed about the place in Monkton last year. Judge C. S. Palmer of Burlington is fighting the case for Mrs. Walston and Frank W. Tuttle of the same city are representing Mr. Walston, who denies in toto the alleged intolerable severity and claims an offset of numerous wrongs of his own from the woman.

APPRECIATES SYMPATHY.

Mrs. Cleveland Acknowledges Receipt of Messages.

Princeton, N. J., July 7, 1908. "Westland." "In our great grief there have come to my children and myself from all over our country and from other lands expressions of condolence in our bereavement and of a participation in our sorrow. My heart is touched by these and by all the tributes paid to Mr. Cleveland in word and act. I am deeply grateful for the comfort that God gives in this way. I regret that the multitude of those messages renders it impossible for me to send a personal word of thanks for each. The press has kindly offered to bear for me this expression of my own and my children's gratitude and appreciation, and I hope it will reach all who have thought of him and of us."

(Signed) "Frances F. Cleveland."

COUNT BONI BRINGS SUIT.

Wants the Children Returned to His Custody.

Paris, July 8.—Count Boni De Castellane, accompanied by his counsel, yesterday afternoon went to the office of Judge Henri Ditté, president of the tribunal of the first instance of the Seine, and applied to have the custody of his children restored to him on account of his divorced wife's marriage to Prince Helle De Sagan.

After hearing argument by Maître Bonnet and Julienier, Judge Ditté adjourned the case until the return of Princess De Sagan to Paris.

PUT GUN IN MOUTH.

George Phelps, Crazed By Heat, Killed Himself.

Andover, Mass., July 8.—George Phelps, 30 years old, a farmer of West Andover, while temporarily insane from the heat, committed suicide today. He put the muzzle of a shot gun in his mouth and pulled the trigger.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS.

The Democrats of Barre are notified to meet at the city court room, Saturday evening, July 11, at 7:30 p. m., to choose nine delegates and nine alternates to the county convention to be held at Montpelier July 18, to nominate candidates for county officers to be supported by the Democratic party at the next freeman's meeting, and the election of a Democratic county committee.

Per order

Democratic City Committee.

HEARD SEVERAL CLAIMS.

Vermont Court of Claims Were Heard Yesterday.

The court of claims held an adjourned session yesterday at the State House. Chief Judge Frank Plumley of Northfield, Clerk Linus Levens of Cambridge, were present, Judge E. B. Flynn being unable to be here because of illness. Court stenographer Miss Louise Newell of Northfield, was also present.

Two important claims were continued until the next session at the request of the attorneys in the case. They were, claim of Charles S. Waite of Londonderry; a claim for a refund in the "elder case" which is well known in the southern part of the state; Waite was found guilty of selling liquor and afterward acquitted. The second was the claim of the Rutland railroad lighting and power company which is a claim for refund of corporation taxes. They alleged that they paid them twice. Four cases were heard, Lewis Willet of St. Albans, \$22.64 for return of costs of attorney S. W. Flynn and witness fees of Edward Damars for a case in St. Albans city court.

H. T. J. Howe of Waitsfield, claim of \$5 for performing an autopsy over the body of Henry A. Tracy, who was found dead in North Andover. Along with this one comes another claim from J. B. Thompson of the same town for services at the same autopsy.

H. W. Wilson, cattle commissioner of Vermont for amount paid for fuel of office of \$12.15 at Arlington.

The court has also heard evidence in the case of F. H. Tracy, sheriff of Washington county for \$512.32 expended for capture of William Wright who escaped last summer.

STATE PHARMACY BOARD
ELECTS OFFICERS

W. F. Root of Brattleboro President—

Thirteen Candidates Took the Examinations for Certificates.

The state board of pharmacy elected officers at the meeting held in Montpelier yesterday afternoon, the result being as follows:

President, W. F. Root, Brattleboro. Treasurer, W. R. Warner, Vergennes. Secretary, J. G. Belrose, Burlington.

W. L. Gokey of Bennington and D. F. Davis of Barre are the other members of the board. Thirteen candidates for certificates took the examinations before the board. The names of the successful ones will be announced later.

A PRETTY WEDDING.

Occurred at Bethel This Afternoon at Two O'clock.

Bethel, July 8.—A very pretty wedding occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wheeler this afternoon at 2 o'clock, when Mark Midgett of Poultney and Estella Bell Mead, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Strack of Rochester, were united in marriage by Rev. W. B. Reynolds, rector of Christ church. The bride and groom were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler. Mrs. Wheeler being a sister of the groom. The ring bearers were the little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hodgkins of Randolph and the flower girl, Mildred Shaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Shaw, of Bethel.

The party entered the parlor at the strains of a wedding march played by Miss Helen Brook. The ceremony being witnessed by the relatives and a few intimate friends. The decorations composed of maiden hair ferns and carnations, were beautiful and artistic, making the home an attractive place for guests and friends.

On the conclusion of the ceremony refreshments of punch and wafers were served and the happy couple took the northbound train for Queen City Park, where they will remain for a few days when they will return to their home previously furnished for them in Poultney, and where a wedding reception will be given.

Mrs. Midgett had been a successful teacher in the Whitcomb high school and in the Randolph normal school, in both of which places she made many friends who remembered her by numerous beautiful wedding gifts and who extend best wishes for the happiness of Mr. and Mrs. Midgett.

BECOMES PUBLIC SCANDAL.

British Newspapers Waging a Fierce War on Lord Berezford.

London, July 8.—The campaign now being waged by the newspapers against Admiral Lord Charles Berezford has reached a point where it seems inevitable that the government must interfere in some way to abate what is becoming a public scandal. It is difficult to arrive at the facts in the case, but ever since the notorious signal incident on November 2, 1907, strained relations have existed between Lord Berezford and Rear Admiral Sir Percy Scott. Lord Berezford has declined to continue his friendship with Sir John Fisher, first lord of the admiralty on account of his disagreement with the admiralty policy. This feeling has been so open that Lord Berezford at one of the King's levees held recently deliberately "cut" Sir John in the presence of many naval and military officers.

Several of the influential London newspapers openly clamor for the resignation or the removal of Lord Berezford from the command of the channel fleet, on the ground that he cannot agree either with his superiors or with his inferiors and that naval discussions of such a nature are a national danger.

TEACHERS BY
HUNDREDS

Assembled in Burlington For American Institute

THE ADDRESSES TO-DAY

Need of Industrial Education Pointed Out—Its Disciplinary Value Is Great, Declared Charles F. Warner of Springfield, Mass.

Burlington, July 8.—Today's session of the 78th annual convention of the American Institute of Instruction were by far the most interesting and important of any. The program, which contained some strong papers, was carried out according to schedule this morning and this afternoon the delegates of whom there are from six to seven hundred enjoyed an excursion on Lake Champlain. The first paper of the morning upon the general theme of industrial education was by President George Emory Fellows of the university of Maine whose topic was "Direct Relation of Industrial Education to National Prosperity."

President Fellows emphasized the need of educating the many rather than the few and said that the nations that were most prosperous were those where the riches were in the hands of the many and not held by a few millionaires. General prosperity includes more than financial independence, he said. All the citizens should have an opportunity to obtain such education as they may desire, and enough leisure to enjoy the advantages which the culture and refinement of the community where they dwell, may offer.

But recently in the history of the world it has occurred that organized government, together with the efforts of social leaders have attempted to produce systematically a condition of general prosperity. The centennial exposition of 1876 was the moving cause of the marvelous industrial development of Germany and Denmark and other countries have taken great strides along these lines since then. It is not at all pessimistic to prophesy that the continued prosperity of the United States can only be maintained by educating or training the necessary supply of skilled labor, rather than by putting dependence upon the importation of such labor, the supply of which is practically cut off through its absorption by the countries which have realized soon than we the same necessity.

Need of Industrial Education. Following a report of what had been done and is being done in New England along the lines of industrial education by Principal Willis O. Smith of Lancaster, N. H., and admirable paper was presented by M. W. Alexander of Lynn, Mass., indicating the "Need of Industrial Education and Its Methods from the Business Man's point of view" and a paper by Principal Charles F. Wardner of the technical high school, Springfield, taking up the subject from an educationalist's point of view.

Mr. Warner spoke of industrial training and education as the latest and most notable phase of educational progress in the United States. It is a consideration of new subject but there is a new interest indicated throughout the civilized world. It is simply an adjustment of school traditions to modern demands. There are now economic and social needs which must be met in a different way.

We are not likely to overestimate the disciplinary value of a well ordered system of industrial training to the moral as well as the intellectual development of the children of the present day.

Mr. Warner referred to the Germans as having carried forward the scheme of industrial education with marked success. These schools were developed when Germany was a country of small shops in which apprentices to the various trades could be taught principles and practice in a broad way. But generally speaking the schools in Germany avoid in their system early special training and make much of the intellectual training which must underlie all industrial work in which a high degree of skill and proficiency is essential.

Germany is now in the front rank in the competition for the world's markets and if we seek to extend our trade abroad we shall find her our most important rival. In this competition science, knowledge, industrial intelligence and skilled workmanship are to count as the highest factors. If we are to make them count on our side we must do in our own way through the schools what the Germans have already done.

THREW HIM TO PAVEMENT.

Victor Stacy Sustained a Broken Arm in Peculiar Accident.

Victor Stacy, an expressman residing on Union street, met with an accident in a peculiar manner late yesterday afternoon, which resulted in a bad fracture of his right arm. Stacy was driving his express team on the paving on North Main street near the city park when the nut came off the rear axle and the wheel rolled off throwing him to the pavement. He struck on his right elbow with his whole weight breaking the arm at the elbow joint. Stacy went to the office of Dr. W. E. Lazell and the fracture was reduced.

FUNERAL AT 2 TO-DAY
OF ALD. WILLIAMS

The funeral services of the late Alderman Walter Williams were held at two o'clock this afternoon at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Rev. W. J. M. Beattie officiating. The services were attended by Mayor Robins and the city council and the heads of the fire and police departments and many friends. Delegations were present from Green Mountain lodge of Odd Fellows, Manchester Unity, Granite lodge of Masons and of the Sons of St. George, of which Mr. Williams was a member. The bearers were chosen from the order and were as follows: From the Masons, William Cole and Bennett Julian; from the Odd Fellows, William Blackmore and William Oliver; from the Sons of St. George, Thomas Nichols and Nicholas Veale. The floral tributes were numerous and formed a large bank of flowers around the casket.

Interment was made in Hope cemetery, the Masonic burial service being used at the grave.

BURIAL IN HOPE CEMETERY.

Manchester Unity, Odd Fellows, Attended Funeral of David F. Morgan.

The funeral of David Fraser Morgan, who died Sunday, was held yesterday afternoon from his late home, 70 Ayres street, there being a large attendance of friends. Manchester Unity, Odd Fellows, attended the services in a body, and two of that organization, Messrs. Farrar and William Leith, acted as bearers, together with four sons of the deceased, David, Peter, Alfred and Alexander.

The Rev. W. E. Braisted of the Baptist church officiated, and a solo was sung by William Sheriffs. There were many floral tributes. Interment was in Hope cemetery.

THREE WERE HAYING

And Their Substitutes in Republican County Convention Wouldn't Do.

The convention of the Washington county Republicans at Montpelier is certainly entitled to one distinction—it was held on the hottest day of the year—so hot that even the contests for three of the offices did not fully cause the delegates to forget it. These contests, however, were interesting enough to bring out 147 of the 150 delegates the convention is entitled to, and through the efforts of someone an attempt was made to seat three outsiders to fill this vacancy. Three of the Cabot delegation were so busy with their haying they could not spare the day to go to Montpelier, and their delegation was that number of delegates shy when the convention was gathered in armory hall. After the county committee had completed its roll call as it supposed, and the members had taken their seats with their delegations, J. H. Winch, chairman of the committee, passed to C. H. Haines, the secretary, three names, A. C. Brown, L. M. Hutchinson and C. H. Bancroft, all of Montpelier, with the order that they be added to Cabot's delegation. When the first ballot was taken, someone who was seated near these three gentlemen arose and objected to outsiders voting in the convention. This started a discussion which finally resulted in the three gentlemen being allowed to withdraw, and the vote which had been taken was declared void. Another ballot was taken which gave W. E. Bliss of Calais 75 votes, R. G. Robinson of Berlin 47, and R. L. Drennan of Woodbury 24. Mr. Bliss was declared the nominee. E. W. Huntley was nominated for third senator by acclamation and the contest for second assistant judge was taken up and settled by the choice of C. M. Richardson, who had 75 votes to 60 for George H. Dale of Waterbury. The only other contest was for state's attorney, and that resulted in the re-nomination of Benj. Gates by a vote of 61 to 54 for Wm. Wisheart of Barre.

H. C. Whitcomb of Waterbury was nominated for high sheriff and with the naming of the county committee the convention adjourned at 3:30. The committee is: G. O. Stratton, R. S. Currier, J. H. Winch, C. H. Haines, R. W. Putnam, C. R. McKnight and F. L. Hathaway.

GRANITE SHIPMENTS
MARKED BEFORE LOADING

Is New Order Which The Railroad Officials and Barre Granite Men Discussed Yesterday.

C. E. Dowe, general freight agent of the Central Vermont, and C. D. Waters, general freight agent of the Montpelier & Wells River, met the representatives of the wholesale granite dealers and the executive committee of the Granite Manufacturers' association in the rooms of the latter association yesterday afternoon to discuss the new classification rules in regard to the shipment of granite. Under the new ruling by the railroads which went into effect July 1 all granite shipments have to be marked with the consignee's name before they will be received by the railroad. The dealers had formerly marked their shipment after they had been loaded onto the cars.

FOR BEATING HIS MOTHER.

Frank Coburn Has Been Sent to The House of Correction.

Frank Coburn has been sentenced in the Montpelier city court to not less than five, nor more than six months in the house of correction for breach of the peace, the assault having been committed on his mother, Mrs. Minerva Coburn.

LOST TWO FINGERS.

Quarryman Got Two Fingers Caught in a Derrick Wheel.

Gus Saaki, a workman on the Boutwell, Milne & Varnum quarry, had the two first fingers on his right hand torn off yesterday afternoon by getting the hand caught in the wheel of a derrick. He went into the office of Dr. Bailey and the injury was dressed. Severe prostrations from the excessive heat of yesterday are reported.

MONTPELIER SEM. TEACHERS.

Principal Bishop of Montpelier seminary announced today that the list of teachers in his institution had been completed by the appointment of Miss Matha Bowen of Mount Holyoke to the department of stenography and typewriting.

TO-NIGHT IN BARRE.

Moving pictures, opera house. The Comique picture show, A. Tomasi block. Theatrical, 40 Main street. Massucco's theatre, Scamplin block.

A MERCHANT
IN TROUBLE

His Creditors Trying to Force Him Into Bankruptcy

PETITION FILED TO-DAY

One of Creditors of Murry H. Dodge of Westfield Is the International Harvester Company—Bellows Falls Machinist Fails.

Rutland, July 8.—Involuntary bankruptcy proceedings have been filed at the office of the clerk of the United States court here against Murry H. Dodge, a merchant of Westfield. The creditors include the International Harvester company. The liabilities are claimed to be over \$1,000.

Bellows Falls Merchant Fails. William E. Morrison of Bellows Falls a merchant, has filed a petition in bankruptcy in Clerk Platt's office. He has liabilities of \$219.91 and assets of \$87.

A Trustee Appointed.

At the office of Referee in bankruptcy W. N. Theriault in Montpelier today George Kent was appointed trustee in the case of L. M. Williams, a Barre merchant, who recently filed a petition in bankruptcy. Leon Cole, Fred Rogers and D. F. Davis were appointed appraisers. The liabilities are \$7,690.54 and the assets \$10,286.61, of which \$623 is claimed exempt, and \$3,000 is in insurance policies.

ALMOST SCRAMBLED
SEVERAL CASES OF EGGS

W. S. Kenerson's Horse Ran Away and Wagon Collided With a Post Near the Corner of the Library Lot.

W. S. Kenerson left his horse attached to an express wagon loaded with several cases of eggs in front of Eastman Brothers' store this forenoon. No significance attaches to the fact that he left the horse as he had done dozens of times before; but this particular time the horse happened to get frightened and the result was a lively runaway with a finish disastrous to the wagon and its contents.

The horse started up North Main street at a lively clip and apparently not satisfied with the street tried the sidewalk, taking the concrete at the corner of Elm and Washington streets. The going was smooth for a few feet, until the wagon hit onto a post, and then came the crash. The tails, wheels and entire front of the vehicle were well smashed, and the addition of a little heat would easily have converted the contents of the cases into scrambled hen fruit.

The horse apparently concluded that it had done enough in the speed and cross country line for the day, and turned into the City hotel livery and stable and was caught. The injury to the horse was nil; to the harness, little; to the wagon and eggs, serious.

SEAGER—McAULAY.

A High School Teacher Married at Graniteville To-day.

Miss Lillian McAulay of Winslow, P. Q., and George J. Seager of Barre were united in marriage at nine o'clock this morning in the Presbyterian church at Graniteville by the Rev. Donald Fraser of Berlin. The couple were attended by Miss Lena McAulay, sister of the bride, as bridesmaid, and Angus McAulay as groomsmen. The ceremony was attended by a small party of friends. Mr. and Mrs. Seager left immediately for the groom's former home in Hanover. Mr. Seager for the past two years has been an instructor in the Spaulding high school in this city. The bride formerly resided in Hanover, and the groom was graduated from Dartmouth college.

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